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In re Application of: Peidong Wang et al.  
Serial No.: 09/966,502  
Filing Date: 09/28/01  
Title: TUNABLE FABRY-PEROT FILTER AND TUNABLE  
VERTICAL CAVITY SURFACE EMITTING LASER  
Examiner: Gioacchino Inzirillo  
Group Art Unit: 2828  
Attorney's Docket No.: CORE-84

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RESPONSE

This is in response to the Official Action currently  
outstanding with respect to the above-identified patent  
application.

In the outstanding Official Action, the Examiner:

- (1) objected to the drawings under 37 CFR 1.83(a);

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